It is Sunday the 25th November 2007 and here is ANARTS with our weekly RTTY broadcast bringing you - cast 1472.
Views expressed in this news bulletin are not necessarily those of the Broadcast Officer, the Relay Officers, or of the Society.
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A.N.A.R.T.S. News Bulletin 1472 for 25th November 2007
IPS Weekly Solar and Geophysical Report for 16th to 22nd November, issued on 23rd November by the IPS Radio and Space Services.
SUMMARY

Date	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
10cm flux	71	70	69	70	70	69	70
AFr index	5	5	1	2	10	9 (	5 estimated)
Aaus index	9	8	5	6	26	12 (	14 estimated)
T index	-25	-22	-39	-43	-27	-50	-50

Solar flare activity was very low all week.
Geomagnetic activity observed for the Australian Region was quiet to unsettled on 16th, 17th, and 19th; quiet to 18th; unsettled on 20th with an isolated major storm period; and quiet to active on 21st and 22nd.
Southern Australian Ionospheric F2 critical frequencies were depressed 15 per cent to near predicted on 16th; depressed 15 per cent on 17th; depressed 20 to 15 per cent on 18th; depressed 20 per cent on 19th; near predicted to 30 per cent depressed on 20th; depressed 40 to 25 per cent on 21st; and depressed 30 to 20 per cent on 22nd.
Forecast for 23rd to 29th November.
Solar activity should be very low.
Geomagnetic activity should see quiet to unsettled conditions.
Frequencies should be 15 to 40 per cent below predicted monthly values on 23rd and 24th; 10 to 20 per cent below monthly predicted
values on 25th November; and 5 to 10 per cent below monthly
predicted values during rest of the days.
courtesy of the IPS Radio and Space Services
summary by Pat VK2JPA ANARTS Broadcast Officer

RTDX1122 RTTY DX
VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES FOR WEEK ENDING 22 NOVEMBER 2007 (BID RTDX1122)
This week our information came from AA5AU, GU0SUP, I5FLN, UT5RP
and the Central Europe clusternode DB0SPC. Thank you all.
Friday 16
0404-14081 V8FDM
0409-18100 V8FDM
0457-21082 V8FDM
0518--7037 SV5/SV1LK
0613-18102 9N7BV/P
0622-14081 V8FDM
0629-18100 ZL3RG
0823-18103 SU1KM
1120-14081 V8FDM
1126-14080 XT2SE
1227-10138 V8FDM
1440-14083 CN8YZ
1520-14082 E20WXA
1535-14081 TL8QC
1549-14082 SU1KM
1612-14084 V5/DJ4SO
1930-14080 C91R
2106-14080 XT2SE
2147-14082 V8FDM
Saturday 17
0212-10140 YV4BCD

0429-18102 9N7BV/P
0522-18104 HS0ZBS
0736 18105 SV5/SV1LK
0904-14084 SU1KM
0909-18105 ZL1BYZ
0935-14081 AO9IB
1009-14082 JT1DN
1014-18104 ZM4GVR
1120-14083 CU6AY
1137-14085 KP4MS
1145-14084 SU1KM
1151-14080 V8FDM
1247-18103 KP4JRS
1346-14084 XT2SE
1419-18103 V5/DJ4SO
1432-14088 E7/YT3H
1459-10138 V8FDM
1501-14081 C91R
1509-14080 K0ARY/VP9
1545--7038 E7/YT3H
1614-18102 V55SRT
1616-18104 TR8CA
1622-18100 XE2WWW
1633--7037 SV5/SV1LK
2134-10140 SV5/SV1LK
2158-14084 XT2SE
2212-14082 XE1M
2216--7032 DU1IST
2228-14081 V8FDM
2231-14085 ZP8AE
2357-14084 XU7ABN
Sunday 18
0105-18101 V8FDM
0108-14087 T88SE
0130-18103 HS0ZBS
0329-18102 ZL1BYZ
0406-21087 T88SE
0538-18106 T88SE
0634-18102 9N7BV/P
0721-14082 XT2SE
0857-18107 C91KDJ
0916-21083 V5/DJ4SO
0923-18107 VK9CCC
0947-18104 4K9W
0947-14087 E7/YT3H
0951-18107 SV5/SV1LK
0953-18108 V8FDM
0955-21088 E7/YT3H
1030-18110 IS0YTA
1049-21083 XT2SE
1101-21081 C91KDJ
1107-21079 V51AS
1114-14090 KP4MS
1300-18100 HP1AVS
1317-18104 KP4JRS
1329-18105 VK9CCC
1353-18100 VP8CXV
1500-14088 VK9CCC
1515-14085 YV4DYJ
1529-14081 E20WXA
1547-14080 XT2SE
1847-21080 YV4BCD
1851--7039 SV5/SV1LK

2158-14082 XT2SE
Monday 19
0608-14081 JT1DN
0715-18102 C91KDJ
0816-14082 XT2SE
0844-18102 SV5/SV1LK
0909-14088 ZL1BYZ
0942-18101 3A2LF
1131-14089 KP4MS
1200-18101 E20WXA
1359-14082 XT2SE
1508-18105 AO9IB
1525-18106 XE2WWW
1611--7037 4L1FP
2153--7034 XT2SE
Tuesday 20
0656-10141 4L1FP
0714-10141 ZL4AS
0955-18103 VK9CCC
1004-21082 C91KDJ
1007-18105 9N7BV
1042-14081 C91KDJ
1050-18105 4L1FP
1205-18102 C91KDJ
1215-18103 VK9CCC
1355-14084 SV5/SV1LK
1455-18107 CO2HQ
1500-14096 C91KDJ
1507-14082 SU1KM
1522-18103 SV5/SV1LK
1530-14087 XT2SE
1626-14080 TR8CA
1627-10141 VK9CCC
1633-14085 CU6NS
1704-10140 TR8CA
1732-14081 VK9CCC
1736-21081 VK9CCC
2109-14084 CT2ILI
2121-14085 XT2SE
2136-14081 SU1KM
2250--7043 CO6DE
2303-14086 ZP8AE
2311--7035 XT2SE
2340--7034 PY2VM
Wednesday 21
0623-14083 DS5KJR
0628-18105 DS5KJR
0839-14082 ZL1BYZ
1005-14082 JT1DN
1008-14081 E20WXA
1056-14084 XT2SE
1139-18102 E20WXA
1331-18102 C91KDJ
1335-18102 3B8CF
1455-14083 C91KDJ
1517-14082 SU1KM
1623-10106 C91KDJ
1644-14083 XT2SE
1814--7083 C91KDJ
2221--7035 XT2SE
2230-10141 VP8CXV
2234-10142 FM5AA
2236-14093 TG9AHM

Thursday 22
0704-18104 C91KDJ
0752-18105 SV5/SV1LK
1146-14081 VK2KM
1148-14083 4S7AB
1205-24912 C91KDJ
1212-21085 ZP6/IZ1GLO
1237-18100 3A2LF
1246-14082 4K9W
1422-14082 CO3CJ
1426-14083 5X1NH
1430-14084 C91KDJ
1514-10139 SV5/SV1LK
1521-14084 XT2SE
1559-10141 VK9CCC
1601-10107 C91KDJ
1635-14083 V5/DJ4SO
1641-14084 CU6AY
1656-14084 TR8CA
1704-14081 E20WXA
1813-14082 C91KDJ
1848-14084 XT2SE
1946-14080 ZS2EZ
1951-21085 ZP6/IZ1GLO
2028-14084 TG9AHM
2054--7040 SV5/SV1LK
2103--7042 9H3HH
2219--7034 XT2SE
2252--7036 KP4MS
2253--7037 TF3PPN
Notes of Interest
XE4 - Revilla Gigedo: A team of Mexican operators should have
become active from Socorro Is. by the time you read these notes.
Callsigns are 6E4LM, XF4YK and XF4YW. For more check their
website at http://www.6e4lm.xedx.org.
A variety of DXCC entities will be activated during the CQWW CW
contest this coming weekend. Check the bands and DX-clusters
for possible RTTY activity before and after the CW event.
The VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES are distributed every week via the
Winlink network, and are also available on the Internet at
URL http://mailman.qth.net/mailman/listinfo/vk2sg-rtty.
For next week's bulletin, send your bandpass and notes of
interest to Don, AA5AU, e-mail: aa5au@bellsouth.net
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The Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin No. 833 - excerpts
5T, MAURITANIA
Andreas, DL7ZZ, informs OPDX that a German team is planning a DXpedition to Nouakchott, Mauritania, between March 16-30th (2008). The current team of operators are: Rich/DK8YY, Rene/DL2JRM, Ralf/DL3JJ, Ingolf/ DL4JS, Dan/DL5SE and Andreas/DL7ZZ. All team members are well-known for their DXpeditions and contesting, and they would like to provide 5T as a new one to those who need it. Operating location will be nearby the Atlantic Sea, so there will be enough space for their antenna systems especially for the low bands. The team is expecting their license very soon.
They plan to have 3 stations on the air; 2 with amplifiers. For operations on the low bands 2 verticals (V160 and V80) will be errected, and on 40m they will use 2 phased verticals. For 30-10 meters, they will set up 2 beams, and for the digital station there will be another ground- plane. They will try to have an online log available that will be updated daily via I-net or pactor. A Web page will be updated with all informations about the DXpedition at:
http://www.5t2008.de
QSL via DH7WW, by the bureau or direct. The team is looking for sponsors and donations.
6W, SENEGAL (Update)
Jovica, T98A (ex.9K2/T94FC, ST0RM, ST2A, T94FC), who received his 6W1SJ license, will be active during the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as a Single-Op/Single-Band (40m)/Low-

Power entry. QSL via T93Y: Boris Knezovic, P.O. Box 59, BA-71000 Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina. Bureau and E-mail requests are OK (t93y@lol.ba or boris@t93y.com).
Jovica will stay in Senegal for at least two years with great possibilities to activate other West Africa countries. Outside of the contest, look for him to be active on CW with some SSB and digital modes.
A3, TONGA
Dr. Tomas, VK2CCC, will be active as A35MT between November 20-26th. His main activity will be on the low bands (mostly CW) and the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as Single-Op entry. His primary QTH will be on the Tongatapu Island Group (OC-049). He is planning to take verticals or a combined trap vertical for 160/80/40 meters, a separate dipole for 160m and a pile of wire antennas for the other bands. Tomas states, "A35 licence allows only 100w on 160m, so if you are in Europe, you'll need GOOD receiving antennas to hear anything at all. And a lot of patience." QSL (the best) via eQSL and the LotW, or direct to: Dr. Tomas Magyla, 26 Simon Place, Hornsby Heights NSW-2077, Australia. He also states that he is "very slow" with QLSing (direct cards) as usual. For more (updated) details, visit:
http://www.qrz.com/callsign/a35mt
C5, THE GAMBIA (Update)
Jan, PA4JJ, will once again be active as C56JJ between November 30th and December 11th (not December 7th as first announced). This will be a holiday style operation. Jan informs OPDX that he will only use 100 Watts (FT-897) and the antenna will be a vertical and a ZS6BKW. There may be some topband and 6 meter activity. QSL via PA4JJ.
PLEASE NOTE: Jan states, "... for direct QSLs OUTSIDE EU, I need at least 2 USDs, but if you want to spend some money for the school project
(see http://www,gabiahulp.nl/blz_4a.html)
please send a little more." He also states that there is a possibility of an online log this time on the Web site:
http://c56jj.pa4jj.nl
H7, NICARAGUA
Mike, K9NW, will be active here between November 21-28th. He plans to be active as H7/K9NW during the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as Single-Op/All-Band/(possibly as a) Low-Power entry. QSL via K9NW.
IOTA NEWS
EU-146. Operator Ulf, DK5TX, will be active as PA/DK5TX from Goeree Overflakkee, February 11-17th. Activity will be on 80-10 meters (SSB/slow-CW/RTTY), 6 meters (SSB/slow-CW) and 2 meters (SSB/slow-CW). QSL via his home callsign, by the bureau (preferred) or direct (QRZ.com). E-mail requests for a bureau card can be obtained via: dk5tx@gmx.net
EU-171. Operators Rudi/DF8AE, Burkhard/DF8XC, Georg/DK5QN, Dirk/DL1YDI and Pete/DL1YAW will be active from Vendsyssel-Thy/Nordjylland (NJ-001 for the Danish Islands Award), November 20-27th. They plan to use the callsign 5P3WW and have 3 stations operating CW, SSB and the Digital modes. They also will be in the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as a Multi-2 entry. QSL via DL1YAW, direct (CBA) or by the bureau.
KH4, MIDWAY ISLAND
Pete Leary, KC0END, who has a Tech-Plus license and is on the island with no equipment, states, "...plans in the works to get a ham group out here next summer or fall if it gets approved." However, Pete also mentions, "....since this is a national monument and wildlife refuge, a compatibility study has to be done to determine the effect on birds (they'll fly into the antennas)." For the complete story, visit the "DX World of Ham Radio" Web page at:
http://hamspirit.wordpress.com/2007/11/18/kh4-midway-island-summerautumn-2008-possibility/
KP2, U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS (NA-106)
Operators John/K3TEJ and Ted/K3VA will be active as KP2/homecall between November 20-27th. Activity will include participation in the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as KP2M and as a Multi-2 entry. QSL KP2/K3TEJ and KP2/K3VA via their home callsigns. QSL KP2M via AI4U.
SANTA CLAUS LAND TO BE ON THE AIR!
Juha, OH9MM, informs OPDX readers:
"As we all know the real Santa Claus comes from Finland! Santa Claus Land (OH9SCL) will be again active during this December from the Artic circle. Activity will be on 160-10 meters on CW, SSB and the Digital modes." Among others, Santa's helpers will include: OH3BHL, OH9KL, OH9MDV, OH9MM and OH9RJ. QSL via OH9UV.
T8, PALAU
Yoshi, JK2VOC, will be active as T88IW from Koror (OC-009) between November 23-26th. Activity will include the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as a Single-Op/All-Band entry using the callsign T88FY. Operations before and after the contest will be on the 30/17/12 meters and also the satellites (VO-52, FO-29, AO-7, AO-51, AO-27). QSL T88IW via JF2IWW and QSL T88FY via JK2VOC.

T8, PALAU
Operator Fukuda, JJ1RJR, will be active as T88RJ between November 22-26th. Activity will include the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as a Single-Op/High-Power entry. QSL via his home callsign direct.
TZ, MALI
Mac, TZ6JA, will once again return here for a work assignment between November 22nd and December 14th and plans to be active. Between December 1-12th, Mac will move to a small village 150km east of capital of Bamako because of his work. There is no electricity in this area, so there will be fewer noises on the bands. He will bring a 1.5kWH generator to operate a 500w amplifier. He will put up a two 2 element phased vertical for 75m and 40m, and a 7 element Log-Periodic antenna for 20/17/15 meters. QSL direct only to: Makoto Obara, P.O.Box 59, Tama, Tokyo, 206-8691 JAPAN
V5, NAMIBIA
Klaus, DJ4SO, will be active from the Matunda Guestfarm in northern Namibia as V5/DJ4SO between now and December 3rd. Activity will be on 160-6 meters, CW, RTTY, PSK31 and some SSB. He will also be in the CQ World Wide DX CW Contest (November 24-25th) as a Single-Op entry.
VP5, TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS
OCARC Member Bob/K0OK and Dale/KB7UB will be active as VP5/K0OK and VP5/KB7UB, respectively, from Providenciales (NA-002), December 6-11th. Activity will be on 160-6 meters CW and SSB. They will also be operating in the ARRL 10 Meter Contest as VP5E (K0OK) and VP5UB (KB7UB). QSL via their home callsigns. Online logs will be available at:
http://www.dxer.com/dxlogs
All QSOs will be uploaded to LoTW.
VP8, FALKLAND ISLANDS (SA-002)
Ulli, DL2AH, will be active as VP8/DL2AH from Pebble Island between February 26th and March 13th. Activity will be holiday style on 40-10 meters, mainly SSB with some RTTY, using a FT-897 and Windom antenna. QSL via DL2AH, direct (QRZ.com) or by the bureau.
XW, LAOS
Bruce, AA4XR (HS0ZCY, XU7ADF), informs OPDX that he recently shut down operations from Florida (AA4XR) and moved to Laos. He states, "I have been issued the XW1B and plan on being active on all bands/modes with an emphasis on low band CW/RTTY." Bruce was very active this past week on 80/40/20/17/15 meters CW and 20 meters SSB. QSL via E21EIC.
YI, IRAQ
It was announced this past week that the government of Iraq will reopen the amateur radio service on November 20th. Scott, AD7MI, states that he will be active as YI9MI from November 20th to May 15th (2008) from the U.S. Army Camp in Taji. Activity will be on 80-10 meters, CW, SSB, PSK-31 and RTTY. QSL via AD7MI, by the bureau or direct to: MAJ Scott Hedberg 3 BN, 2 BDE, 9 DIV MiTT, TAJI, IRAQ, APO, AE 09378, USA.

Digital Contest Calendar
TARA RTTY Melee0000Z-2400Z, Dec 1
MDXA PSK DeathMatch0000Z, Dec 15 to 2400Z, Dec 16
OK DX RTTY Contest0000Z-2400Z, Dec 15
Feld Hell Sprint1500Z-1700Z, Dec 15

The Society can be contacted in the following ways: To Pat VK2JPA via patleeper at optusnet.com.au, or you can drop a line to PO Box 93 Toongabbie NSW 2146.
73’s from Pat VK2JPA broadcast Officer.